

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 2007-243-WS - ORDER NO. 2007-614

SEPTEMBER 7, 2007

IN RE:	Application of Harbor Island Utilities, Inc. for)	ORDER GRANTING
	Approval of a New Schedule of Rates and)	REQUEST FOR PUBLIC
	Charges for Water and Sewer Service)	HEARING
	Provided to Residential and Commercial)	
	Customers in Harbor Island, Beaufort County.)	

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (Commission) on the request for a public hearing to be scheduled in the present docket. On June 25, 2007, Harbor Island Utilities, Inc. (HIU or the utility) filed an Application with the Commission for approval of a new schedule of rates and charges for water and sewer service that the utility provides to customers in Harbor Island, Beaufort County. A request was filed with the Commission on August 10, 2007, by Harbor Island Owners Association asking that a public hearing be scheduled with respect to HIU's Application in order to hear comments from the utility's customers, and specifically requesting that this public hearing be held on Harbor Island.

Upon consideration of the request, the Commission finds that a public hearing in this docket should be scheduled and held at Harbor Island in Beaufort County, South Carolina. This hearing shall be scheduled in addition to the public hearing set to begin Wednesday, November 7, 2007, at 10:30 a.m. in the Commission's hearing room, Synergy Business Park, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina. Such a

hearing will allow interested customers of HIU who cannot attend the hearing in Columbia to appear and present testimony and evidence relevant to HIU's Application. The public hearing to be held in Beaufort County, South Carolina will serve the public interest by providing customers and other interested persons not already parties to this proceeding a convenient forum in terms of location and time to appear before the Commission to present evidence related to HIU's pending rate case application.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

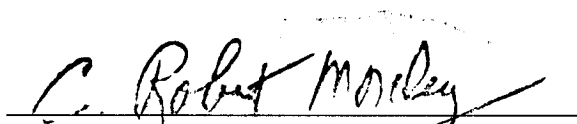
1. A public hearing in the pending rate case application filed by Harbor Island Utilities, Inc. shall be held in the evening at Harbor Island in Beaufort County, South Carolina.
2. The Commission Staff is directed to find a suitable location and date for the public hearing and shall provide notice of the hearing to the parties in this docket and to the customers affected by the application.
3. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:



G. O'Neal Hamilton, Chairman

ATTEST:



C. Robert Moseley, Vice Chairman

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